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☐ Design Patent

☐ Plant Patent

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/56)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification and Claims (amended, if appropriate)
3. ☐ Drawing(s) (proposed amendments, if appropriate)
4. ☐ Reissue Oath / Declaration (original or copy)
(37 CFR 1.175)(PTO/SB/51 or 52)
5. Original U.S. Patent
☒ Offer to Surrender Original Patent (37 CFR 1.178)
(PTO/SB/53 or PTO/SB/54)
or
☐ Ribboned Original Patent Grant
☐ Affidavit / Declaration of Loss (PTO/SB/55)
6. Original U.S. Patent currently assigned?
☒ Yes ☐ No
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☒ Written Consent of all Assignees (PTO/SB/53 or 54)
☒ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney

7. ☐ Transfer drawings from Patent Files
8. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 USC 119)
(if applicable)
9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
10. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration
(if applicable)
11. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application
Status still proper and desired
12. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
14. ☒ Other: Unsigned draft of declaration (all inventors were not available for signing the week of mailing)

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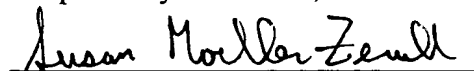
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OFFER TO SURRENDER

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.178, surrender of original United States Patent 6,361,926 is hereby offered. The original Letters Patent will be surrendered to the United States Patent Office upon issuance of a reissue patent on the accompanying reissue application.

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